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Attorney Docket No. 03-1023

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In re Application of:	)	
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Mahesh RAJAGOPALAN et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2641
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Application No.: 10/720,784	)	Examiner: Unknown
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Filed: November 24, 2003	)	Confirmation No.: 4941
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For: METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR	)	
CONTACT MANAGEMENT	)	

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(1), Applicants hereby request that Carolyn Maloy and Manuel Mendoza be deleted as inventors for the above-identified patent application. The naming of Carolyn Maloy and Manuel Mendoza as inventors on the application was done without any deceptive intent on the part of the Applicants or any assignee of this application.

Applicants respectfully request that a corrected Official Filing Receipt be issued identifying the correct inventive entity: Mahesh Rajagopalan, Ruchir Rodrigues, Shadman Zafar, Shamik Basu, Aravind Perumandla, and Anil Solleti.

This Petition is accompanied by a Statement from each person being deleted as an inventor pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(2); a Statement of Consent from the

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Assignee, Verizon Data Services, Inc., pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(5); a substitute Declaration naming the actual inventors; and the requisite fee of \$130 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h).

Please associate the enclosed declaration with the application, grant any extensions of time required to enter this response, and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 07-2347.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 6, 2005

By: 

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**CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO CORRECTION  
OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48  
AND STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)**

Verizon Data Services Inc. ("Verizon"), as the owner of the entire right, title, and interest in this application and through its authorized representative Joel Wall, Esq. hereby consents to the correction of inventorship to delete Carolyn Maloy and Manuel Mendoza as co-inventors.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b), Verizon hereby states that the documents evidencing Verizon's ownership of the entire right, title, and interest in this application have been reviewed and that to the best of Verizon's knowledge and belief, Verizon has the right to take action in this application.

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I, Joel Wall, Esq., hereby state that I am a representative authorized to act on behalf of Verizon.

Signature:



Name:

Joel Wall, Esq

Title:

Attorney for Verizon Data Services Inc.

Date:

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**Statement of Inventor Manuel Mendoza Pursuant to  
Petition to Correct Inventorship Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(1)**

I, Manuel Mendoza, having reviewed in detail the above-referenced patent application, do not believe I am an inventor of subject matter recited in any pending claim of the application. My name was included as an inventor of this application through error and without deceptive intent.

I hereby declare that all statements made of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Dated: 3.22.2005

By: 

Manuel Mendoza

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**Statement of Inventor Carolyn Maloy Pursuant to  
Petition to Correct Inventorship Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(1)**

I, Carolyn Maloy, having reviewed in detail the above-referenced patent application, do not believe I am an inventor of subject matter recited in any pending claim of the application. My name was included as an inventor of this application through error and without deceptive intent.

I hereby declare that all statements made of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Dated: 3/31/05

By:   
Carolyn Maloy